

STATE OF ILLINOIS

COUNTY OF COOK

In re

LEHMAN BROTHERS HOLDINGS INC., et al.,

Debtors.

Chapter 11 Case No.

08-13555 (JMP)

(Jointly Administered)

**AFFIRMATION OF CRAIG O. BENSON IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION TO PERMIT FILING OF A SUPPLEMENTAL AFFIRMATION IN
OPPOSITION TO DEBTORS' 313th OMNIBUS OBJECTION**

CRAIG O. BENSON affirms under penalties of perjury as follows:

1. My name is listed on Exhibit A to the Debtors' 313th Omnibus Objection Claims (to Reclassify Proofs of Claim as Equity Interests).
2. On August 1, 2012, through Stamell & Schager, LLP, I filed an Affirmation to join in a previously-filed Opposition to the Debtors' 313th Omnibus Objection, the purpose of which is to reclassify my claim for unpaid compensation as an equity interest.
3. I provide this Affirmation to the Court in support of my motion to accept my July 27, 2012 Affirmation as filed and served.
4. I learned of the 313th Omnibus Objection and the Opposition submitted by Claimants after July 6, 2012, the date for submitting an Opposition.
5. I never received a copy of the 313th Omnibus Objection from the Debtors or their Counsel. When I learned about the 313th Omnibus Objection and the procedures for opposing it,

I retained Stamell & Schager to file an Affirmation on my behalf in support of their previously-filed Opposition.

6. My address is the same as it was since I filed my Proof of Claim. There is no reason why I would not have received the 313th Omnibus Objection if it was mailed to me at my address.

Affirmed under penalties of perjury on this 9 day of August, 2012.

Craig O. Benson
Craig O. Benson

Sworn to before me this
9th day of August, 2012

Susan P. Knoerzer
Notary Public

